Kentucky Board of Certification of Water Treatment and Distribution System Operators

Meeting Minutes

April 17, 2012

I. Call to order

Barry Bolin, Chairman called to order the regular meeting of the Kentucky Board of Certification of Water Treatment and Distribution System Operators at 2:10 p.m. on April 17, 2012 in Louisville, Kentucky.

II. Roll call

Lisa Butler conducted a roll call. The following persons were present:

Barry Bolin, chairman

Julie Roney, executive secretary/treasurer

Chris Spriggs

Bill Wulfeck

Randall Kelly, KRWA

Edward Stevens, Operator

Dan Canafax, DOW

Julia Kays, DCA

Lisa Butler, DCA

III. Approval of minutes from last meeting

Bill Wulfeck entered a motion to approve the minutes as presented for the March 8, 2012 minutes. Chris Spriggs seconded the motion and the motion carried.

IV. New Business

- a) Chris Spriggs entered a motion to accept the request from Brenntag Mid-South to add Joe Pryor as an instructor of their Chlorine Safety Handling training. Bill Wulfeck seconded the motion and the motion carried.
- b) Training Extension Request (Addendum 1)
- c) Training Application Reviews (Addendum 2)
- d) Class IV exam applications and applications for Reciprocity review (Addendum 3)

V. Communication and Announcements

Lisa Butler distributed a copy of the water certification account statement to board members and guests.

VI. Executive Session

- a) Chris Spriggs entered a motion for the board to enter executive session to discuss a potential operator disciplinary case. Bill Wulfeck seconded the motion and it carried. The board entered executive session at 2:50 p.m.
- b) The board returned from executive session at 4:05. Bill Wulfeck entered a motion to send a recommendation to the Division of Water for the suspension of Ed Stevens class IV water treatment license for one year. In addition the board recommends that Mr. Stevens be required to attend 24 hours of training which shall not be applied toward license renewal. Eighteen of these hours shall be earned by attending a water treatment certification school provided by the Division of Compliance Assistance, Certification and Licensing Branch and the remaining 6 hours shall be earned by attending a board-approved course that has also been pre-approved by the Division of Compliance Assistance, Certification and Licensing Branch, on water treatment plant regulations as they relate to operational duties for operators. At the end of the suspension period, Mr. Stevens shall appear before the Kentucky Board of Certification of Water Treatment and Distribution System Operators to demonstrate his competency as a certified operator. Chris Spriggs seconded the motion and the motion carried.

VII. Adjournment

Chris Spriggs entered a motion to adjourn the meeting. Julie Roney seconded the motion and the motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 4:10 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Lisa Butler

Minutes approved by: CS/BW

Training Extension Requests

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	Provider		Hours	Originally				Motion	Approval
Provider	AI#	Training Name	Approved	approved	TCH#	1st	2nd	Carried	Terminates
Sigma Consulting & Training, Inc.	108585	Chemical Spill Response Training	8.0 WW & DW	5/18/10	8113	CS	BV	X	5/18/14

Training Approval Requests

Request Number	Provider Name	Name of Training	Date of Training	DW Hours Requested	DW Board Comments	DW 1st	DW 2nd	DW Motion passed	DW Hours approved	DW TCH #
1416	S4 Water Sales & Service, LLC	Filter Assessment & Filter Optimization	4/17/2012	6		BW	CS	Х	6	10497
1417	S4 Water Sales & Service, LLC	Main Flushing	4/17/2012	1.5		BW	CS	X	1.5	10498
1418	S4 Water Sales & Service, LLC	Hydrogen Peroxide Safety	4/17/2012	2		BW	SS	X	2	10419
1419	S4 Water Sales & Service, LLC	Water Treatment Plant Optimization	4/17/2012	2		BW	CS	Х	2	10499
1420	S4 Water Sales & Service, LLC	Mechanics of Filtration	4/17/2012	2.5		BW	CS	Х	2.5	10500
1421	Office of Water Programs, California State Univ Sacramento	Small Water Systems Information Series	3/7/2012	30		BW	CS	Х	3	10465
1423	Office of Water Programs, California State Univ Sacramento	Water Distribution System Operation & Maintenance	4/17/2012	90		CS	BW	Х	90	10466

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1424	KY/TN Section AWWA	Pretreatment & Plant Optimization	4/5/2012	6		CS	BW	X	6	10487
1425	Kentucky Public Service Commission	2012 Water Personnel Training Seminars	3/27/2012	12.75	J. Roney abstained	CS	BW	X	12.75	10496
1426	United Rentals Trench Safety	Confined Space Training (CST) Online	4/16/2012	6		CS	BW	Х	6	10485
1427	United Rentals Trench Safety	Excavation Safety for the Competent Person (CPT) Online	4/16/2012	6		CS	BW	Х	6	10486
1428	MSD of Louisville	Flygt Pump Seminar	5/2/2012	7		CS	BW	Х	7	10479
1429	Kentucky League of Cities	Respiratory Protection	4/16/2012	1		CS	BW	Х	1	10481
1430	Kentucky League of Cities	Ladder & Scaffolding Safety	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	Х	0	
1431	Kentucky League of Cities	Hydrogen Sulfide Awareness	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	Х	0.5	10482
1432	Kentucky League of Cities	Hearing Conservation	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	Х	0	
1433	Kentucky League of Cities	Fire Prevention	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	Х	0	

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1434	Kentucky League of Cities	Fire and Explosion Hazards	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	Х	0	
1435	Kentucky League of Cities	Fall Protection	4/16/2012	0.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	X	0	
1436	Kentucky League of Cities	Emergency Disaster Preparedness	4/16/2012	0.5		CS	BW	X	0.5	10483
1437	Kentucky League of Cities	Defensive Driving	4/16/2012	1.5	Not approved - not core subject	CS	BW	X	0	
1438	Kentucky League of Cities	Compressed Gas Safety	4/16/2012	1	Not approved - not core subject	CS	JR	X	0	
1439	KWWOA	North Central Chapter KWWOA Training	5/3/2012	6	C. Spriggs abstained	JR	BW	Х	6	10473
1440	KWWOA	Lab Analyst Training	4/15/2012	18	C. Spriggs abstained	JR	BW	X	17	10472
1441	Warren County Water District	Bacte Sampling	4/16/2012	2		JR	BW	X	2	10490
1442	David Reed	Water Con 2012 - IL Section AWWA	3/19/2012	12		JR	BW	Х	12	10470
1443	Louisville Water Company	New Coagulant Feed System	4/16/2012	1		JR	BW	Х	1	10467

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1444	Louisville Water Company	Adsorption	4/17/2012	4		JR	BW	Х	4	10468
1445	Louisville Water Company	Corrosion Control	4/17/2012	5		BW	CS	Х	5	10469
1446	Hopkinsville Water Environment Authority	HACH Instrument Calibration	3/1/2012	6		JR	BW	Х	6	10488
1447	Eastern Chapter KWWOA	EKWWOA Training Session	5/17/2012	6	C. Spriggs abstained	JR	BW	Х	6	10471
1449	AWWA	2012 Annual Conference & Exposition (ACE12)	6/10/2012	27		JR	BW	Х	27	10489
1451	Central Kentucky Chapter KWWOA	Distribution & Collections Training	5/16/2012	6	C. Spriggs abstained	BW	JR	Х	6	10474
1454	Bowling Green Municipal Utilities	Basic Math Concepts - Fractions & Ratios	1/1/2012	1		BW	CS	Х	1	10491
1455	Bowling Green Municipal Utilities	Basic Algebra Skills	2/1/2012	1		BW	CS	Х	1	10492
1456	Bowling Green Municipal Utilities	Basic Math - Accuracy, Precision and Significant Figures	3/1/2012	1		BW	CS	Х	1	10493
1457	Bowling Green Municipal Utilities	Basic Math - Conversion Analysis Through the Factor-Label Method	4/1/2012	1		BW	CS	Х	1	10494

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1458	Bowling Green Municipal Utilities	Basic Math- Powers of 10, Log Rhythms and the pH Scale	5/1/2012	1		BW	CS	X	1	10495
1459	Kentucky Rural Water Assoc.	2012 Outdoor Expo	6/5/2012	18.5	18.5 hrs. approved with12 hours max. to be earned by operator	BW	JR	Х	12	10475

Exam Requests

Request #	Name	AI#	Application Type	If Reciprocity State & Current Certification	Status: Approved, Conditional Approval, Denied)	Comments	1st	2nd	Motion Carried
504	Amanda L. Spalding	113915	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	S	Х
505	Timothy D. Reed	26764	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	X
506	Ashley L. Cooper	114460	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	Х
507	Gerald B. Adams	109792	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	Х
508	Carla R. Lynch	34337	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	Х
509	Dallas J. Gipson	114547	Treatment IVA		Approved	B. Bolin abstained	BW	JR	Х
510	Michael D Galavotti	105222	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	JR	Х

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511	Jeffery S. Zachary	27715	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	Х
512	Phillip J. Price	111825	Treatment IVA		Approved		BB	CS	Х